

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AMARILLO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL ANTHONY CANDELARIA

Defendant.

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2:23-CR-031-Z-BR-(1)

**ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION  
CONCERNING PLEA OF GUILTY**

On January 13, 2025, the United States Magistrate Judge issued a Report and Recommendation Concerning Plea of Guilty (“Report and Recommendation”) in the above referenced cause. Defendant Michael Anthony Candelaria filed no objections to the Report and Recommendation within the fourteen-day period set forth in 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). The Court independently examined all relevant matters of record in the above referenced cause—including the elements of the offense, Factual Resume, Plea Agreement, and Plea Agreement Supplement—and thereby determined that the Report and Recommendation is correct. Therefore, the Report and Recommendation is hereby ADOPTED by the United States District Court. Accordingly, the Court hereby FINDS that the guilty plea of Defendant Michael Anthony Candelaria was knowingly and voluntarily entered; ACCEPTS the guilty plea of Defendant Michael Anthony Candelaria; and ADJUDGES Defendant Michael Anthony Candelaria guilty of Count One of the Superseding Information in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 843(b). Sentence will be imposed in accordance with the Court’s sentencing scheduling order.

**SO ORDERED**, January 28, 2025.

  
MATTHEW J. KACSMARYK  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE